

# Massachusetts Environmental Trust In-Person Board Meeting

December 18, 2025, 1:00-3:00 pm

**Location: Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources Office  
225 Turnpike Road, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Southborough, MA**

## AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions - R.J. Lyman, Chair
2. Vote on September 25 and November 14, 2025, Meeting Minutes
3. Year in Retrospect: Key Highlights
4. MET Operations Update
  - Right Whale Plate Auction
  - Grants Update
  - RMV Price Increase Update
  - E-Payment System Status
  - MET Collaborations:
    - Cape Cod Plate: Meeting outcomes – Kristy Senatori from the Cape Cod Commission and Paul Niedzwiecki from the Cape Cod Chamber
    - Mass Cultural Council
5. Marine Mammal Conservation Campaign
6. Right Whale Day 2026 (April 24) Planning
7. Fundraising Update and Next Steps
  - a. *Donation*: Beth Johnsey, Marion Fremont-Smith's daughter, is donating \$21,000 annually over the next 5-years to MET through a retirement fund distribution from her portion of her inheritance from Marion. Marion's family would like to have a meeting to understand her involvement with MET
  - b. Individual Donors
  - c. Corporate Donors
8. Other Business
  - Schedule Board Meetings through end of 2026

\* To participate or to request special accommodations (ADA) for the meeting, please email Kim Tilas at [kim.tilas@mass.gov](mailto:kim.tilas@mass.gov) for meeting information.